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Heard  
and Told

By The Editor

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Well, by good luck and the indulgence of our creditors, we have got by another first of the month.

Greenfield finally washed all of the ink off his skin, and dug all of it out under his fingernails, but had not been able to get it out of his blood yet—and never will, unless they invent some kind of new medicine.

In walking down the street with the old lady, I want to follow the example of the soldiers and their girls by holding hands, but she won't let me.

Carol Landis was at Camp McCain recently. She is a moving pitcher actress.

Friends who are complaining of the heat should remember that this is only July 1st. We have all of July, all of August and most of September to look forward to—which is not a lively prospect.

As we are working with reduced forces, we solicit some simple methods of cooperation from our friends: write briefly and to the point get matter in early, do not wait until Thursday; note your expiration date on your copy and pay up when your time expires.

The "dead line" on ad copy is Wednesday noon; anticipate your needs for job printing so that we will not be asked to make delivery either yesterday or tomorrow. Henceforth, we had plenty of help and did not have to have many rules. Conditions having changed, we must have regular system.

Another thing: we have no space for long-winded mimeographed propaganda from some far-off bureau or organization. We are going to have half enough time getting in the home news.

Nick Davis, proprietor of the Railroad Lunch Counter, recently bought 1000 packages of cigarettes for the boys in North Africa.

Just saw a flat chested lady of the evening.

Sgt. Fife Perry is home on a furlough.

Only foolish optimist and wishful thinking are bases for saying the war will be over soon. The war has just started.

Had a postal card from Billy Hayward, who is somewhere in North Africa. I wonder if he has initiated his fellow shodlers into the game of moon.

The best sign I have seen for Mike Conn is that Eat Smith and Wells are for him. They are the seldom miss kids, the Wells' feet did slip in the latest senatorial election.

Speaking of Mike Conner, he will speak in Grenada Tuesday night, July 6 at 8:45 o'clock. He is a candidate for governor, in case you have forgotten.

Help keep Horn out of devilmint "Fair chance," I hear Horn say, "of me getting into any devilmint."

J. L. L. must have something on PDR.

FOR SALE: One H. P. 3-phase Westinghouse electric motor, guaranteed good condition, \$30.00 cash money or terms of half cash and the other half in a minute, at GCW.

I have not seen my old "secretary," Sebe Clark, in a long time.

Brother Rook recently made us two dollars richer. Guess how.

We are sorry we did not have space to print the county audit last week, but it was just naturally crowded out.

To help relieve the seating situation, the Baldwin Hotel has already installed a bunch of neat benches, and will install a good many more. It is a shame that, with the vacant space available, soldiers have so little room to sit and talk with their wives or sweethearts. The Barlow's is to be congratulated on helping relieve the situation. If the couples swoon a little, what's the difference?—you cannot stop that. Have you ever been young and full of pep and vim?

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## U. S. O. Program For Sunday, July 4th

The celebration of the Fourth of July, Independence Day, will be held at the Grenada High School Annex, Sunday evening at 7 o'clock, under the auspices of the USO Staff Conference.

The principal attraction will be a band concert rendered by the 87th Division Infantry Band. Other musical numbers will be: Medley of International Airs by High School Orchestra under direction of Allen Cash, Bass Director, a violin and piano duet by Mrs. Joachim Kerker and Walter Portnoy. Pet. Alvin Guttridge will lead the singing of the patriotic and closing.

The opening invocation and the closing prayer will be given by Army Chaplains.

Judge Andrew Carothers will be Chairman of the day. Mr. John Randle, Superintendent of Grenada Schools, will make the Independence Day address.

General Percy Clarkson of the 87th Division and other high ranking army officials from Camp McCain and Grenada Air Base will appear on the program.

The American Legion and the Auxiliary have agreed to serve as host and hostess.

All civilians and members of the armed forces are cordially invited to attend.

## McCain Vegetables Helps Make Flower Show Success

A display of vegetables raised in the gardens of Camp McCain assisted greatly in helping to make the County wide annual flower and vegetable show a great success in Grenada County last week.

The Commanding Officer of Camp McCain, Colonel Ira E. Ryder, was notified by Velma Neely, Home Demonstration Agent of Grenada County, that the Camp McCain display was placed in the center of the auditorium, the basket making a "V" shape with other vegetables and flowers, and received the first Blue Ribbon placed on any division at the show.

Many commendatory expressions were noted relative to the Camp McCain display as the reviewing party passed by and judged the attractive presentation.

## Thirteen Complete Red Cross Life Saving Course

Thirteen people completed on June 24, 1943, the Red Cross Life Saving Course held under the sponsorship of American Red Cross and USO-NCCS.

The people who completed this course under the direction of Miss Gertrude Bouchard, Red Cross Safety Instructor, will receive cards and emblems showing that they are qualified Life Savers.

Those finishing as Junior Life Savers are: Kenneth Hamley, Jimmy Nall, Charles McKnight, Bryce Griffin, Billy Parham, Bobby Turnage, Hal Pleasant, Bobby Alexander, Jimmie Mitchell and Jimmy Davis.

Betty Ann Gresham and Joe Turnage are qualified as Senior Life Savers.

GCW owns about thirty feet of land between its building and the Grenada City. It is now about half filled with empty gallon jugs, and rapidly increasing. These jugs will hold cold oil, buttermilk, sorghum, and other things that you might visualize.

## Just For Fun

(By Favorite Correspondent)

Last week we spent in Camp Clinton, La., visiting the old father. The soldier-givers here in McCain, blessed with a thorough system of fine paved roads that will last longer than this war, ought to do just a three day tour in dust covered, Clatboton, and they'd return to Mississippi with thanksgiving. Only the main thoroughfare is really paved there, and the soldiers have to walk miles in the dust to get to the gate of camp. And the best the Officers' Club can boast of is a drive of crushed oyster and clam shells!

Many changes had occurred since we left. The good Major Barkdale has gone to Edgewood Arsenal, Maryland, for several weeks schooling to brush up on his Chemistry.

1st Lt. Greenwood, Co. of HQ. Co. 246th Inf., was home on a ten day emergency leave, his wife and children being ill.

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## Grenada Post Office To Become First Class

On July 1, 1943 the United States Post Office at Grenada joins the ranks of the other first class post offices throughout the Nation and will be the seventeenth in Mississippi to reach this class.

There is much activity at the Grenada post office and the increase in business has been tremendous. The base post office at Camp McCain is a classified branch office and the money order section of A. P. O. 448 is unit of the Grenada office.

The mail service for the Army Air Base is all handled through the main office in Grenada.

The postmaster is Donald Sharp, and associated with him is an active personnel of forty-six capable employees.

## In The U. S. M. C.

The above Marine is the son of Mrs. Pearl Bickerstaff, of Grenada and has



PVT. JACK M. BICKERSTAFF

recently enjoyed a furlough-home. He is in the Aviation Detachment and is currently stationed in Chicago.

## Horn At Bainbridge

Having completed pre-flight and primary training, Robert H. Horn, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry D. Horn, of Grenada, Miss., is now assigned to Basic flight training at the Bainbridge Army Air Field as an aviation cadet.

Cade Horn, who joined the Air Forces on August 11, 1942, is a former student of Millsaps College, and later attended the University of Mississippi.

## Bishop Gray To Preach Here Sunday

Bishop Duncan Gray, newly consecrated bishop of the diocese of Mississippi, will preach at the eleven o'clock service at All Saints Episcopal Church on Sunday, July 4. A class will be confirmed. The public is cordially invited.

Capt. "Choppy" Andrews, U. S. Air Corps, home on leave from his duties as pilot in the South Pacific, is now visiting relatives in Texas. His mother, Mrs. H. L. Honeycutt and Mr. Honeycutt reside on College Boulevard, Grenada.

telephone booth at the Grenada Hotel, doing a little fast talking to Alabama and the Whitaker residence where daughter Caroline hangs out.

Caroline's friend and roommate, Ivy Brister, is coming up to Grenada for a visit this summer, and Lt. Marquette, pardon me, 1st Lt. Marquette, has been putting in his bid early for a date.

Inez Moore's husband, Capt. Moore, is home for a brief leave after being stationed for a year in Hawaii. Inez is working for the U. S. Government at camp, and was of the 7th employees there last summer. She is Dottie Wilkins' sister, who lives at Duck Hill, as you all know.

The boys at the Hospital Ward D-8 are a jolly bunch to be so banged up. They're the accident cases, broken bones, and such, and are all crazy about their Lt. Doctor in charge. It is really a cheering way to spend an afternoon to go and visit the wards. The boys are so grateful, and so light-hearted, and appreciate your visit so much that more Grenada women who have the time ought to go out and visit them. They'd also appreciate more visitors like Carol Landis.

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## 117 Men Of 87th Division Receive Diplomas

One hundred and seventeen men of the 87th Infantry Division proudly received their "diplomas" from Major General P. W. Clarkson, Division Commander Saturday, indicating their successful completion of eight weeks of learning as students of the Division's Opportunity Schools. The courses covered subjects such as reading, writing, and history and current events.

The Opportunity Schools of the 87th Infantry Division, under the supervision of Lt. Maurice P. Beck, Division Personnel Consultant, are conducted three evenings a week from 7:00 to 8:00 in building especially set up for classroom instructions. Teaching the various other subjects is part of the tremendous constructive job undertaken by Army to educate thousands of physically fit men to read, write and spell English. The graduates of this course have received an education equivalent to four years of schooling which is the minimum requirement in order to be a member of the United States Army. This means that thousands of men who will make excellent combat soldiers are now available for military duty.

The instructors of the 87th Division Opportunity Schools are selected from ranks of enlisted men according to civilian experience. The majority of them were teachers and school principals before their induction into the Army.

The students who are attending these schools are from many states and several foreign countries. Seated side by side you will find a tall, sturdy coal miner from Pittsburgh and a farmer from Tennessee; young soldiers from the Rio Grande country of Texas and dark eyed lads from Poland and Russia. Men from big cities such as New York and Chicago study with intense and serious students who came from Germany and Italy and France only a few years before the war. Several Chinese men are also members of these classes.

These young soldiers of General Clarkson's "Acorn Division," who during the day drill and train with rifles, bayonets and hand grenades, eagerly set their weapons of war aside on school nights and pick up their pencils and books. Outside the clamp of feet leads to the Post Exchange and moves while laughing conversation of other men, who are headed for the Service Club, floats through the open window. But all this does not interfere with the task of learning how to read and write. They want to learn so that they may write their families back home. Disregarding all outside noise they sit on the wooden benches and pay strict attention to the instructors.

And so it is that many young Americans are learning to play a better role to help preserve their country. "They are," in the words of General Clarkson. "Equipping themselves to become better citizens and are qualifying themselves to better serve their country."

## Mr. Eugene McGahey Working With Health Department

Mr. Eugene McGahey, Superintendent of the Gore Springs School, is now working with the County Health Department in Malaria Control. He was recently a part of 100 teachers from 13 Southern States and representatives from three South American countries who took part in a two-weeks' course in malaria control in Memphis, where every phase of this subject was explored.

Mr. McGahey will transmit this information to group meetings over the county, such as H. D. Meetings (both white and colored), 3-H meetings, and club meetings in the towns, with the hope that some of the vital information about this highly important subject be spread as rapidly and as efficiently as possible.

For example, do you know that our servicemen in some parts of the South Pacific area are contracting a type of malaria, swelling the limbs and heads, for which no cure has yet been found; and that this obscure disease can be transmitted by a mosquito from the affected soldier to YOU and ME?

The subject is important. Have Mr. McGahey meet with you. Contact him at the County Health Department in the Health Building.

## Masonic Degrees

Grenada Lodge No. 31 will confer Entered Apprentice degrees on Monday evening, July 5th, 7:45 at the Masonic Temple. Entered Apprentice Masons are urged to attend for lecture classes. Visiting members are cordially invited.

E. M. Whitaker, Secretary.

Orey Lilly recently made a trip alone to New York City. Lillian is going with him NEXT time—Saturday.

## Mrs. Grant's Brother Died In Blackburg, Va.

Mrs. George Grant, with her sister, Mrs. G. L. Nickles, of Batesville, left last Thursday for Blackburg, Va. to attend the bedside of their brother, Mr. Nathaniel Spears, who has been very ill for several months. Mr. Grant received a telegram from his wife Tuesday, stating that Mr. Spears died Monday night.

Mr. Spears lived all his life, except the past six months, which were spent in Virginia, at Orrwood, Miss., north west of Water Valley, Miss. He was that type of man whom people honored by saying his word was as good as his bond. He was a leader in his community, an elder in the Presbyterian Church and one of the finest Southern gentlemen the writer ever knew. Our sympathy is extended to his loved ones at this dark hour.

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## PATTERNS SEWING CIRCLE



### FIRST-AID to the AILING HOUSE

By ROGER B. WHITMAN

Roger B. Whitman—WWII Features.

You may not be able to replace worn or broken household equipment. This is war. Government priorities come first. So take care of what you have . . . as well as you possibly can. And if you are troubled by the housewife's friend tell us now.

#### STORING PAINT

A reader has sent in the following: "When preparing a partially empty can of paint for storage, first clean all paint from the sealing surfaces of the can and lid to insure an airtight closing of the lid. To prevent the trapped air in the can from evaporating the paint solvent, shake the can vigorously for a few seconds to saturate the trapped air thoroughly with the solvent. Thus, when the can is stored the air cannot absorb any more solvent and film cannot form. Stand the can upside down for storage, so that the joint around the lid will be sealed."

#### Condensation on Walls

Question: Some time ago my stucco house was brick-veneered. No air space was left between the walls. During rainy or humid weather the walls sweat and stain the wallpaper. Is there a preparation which can be applied over the plaster to prevent sweating? If so, can the walls be painted or papered over this solution?

Answer: No kind of paint will stop the condensation. The answer to your problem is insulating board applied over furring strips to provide the air space that is lacking and to minimize differences in temperature. It will help to dry out the air of the house if you leave the fireplace damper open during rainy weather. Additional ventilation also would help.

#### Turning Circle for Cars

Question: What is the minimum diameter necessary for a turning circle in front of our house to accommodate any type of car? We plan to make an island in the center containing an old millstone.

Answer: For large passenger cars the radius of the outside curb should be 30 feet, and the radius of the inside curb 10 feet. This will accommodate small trucks.

#### Finish for Shingles

Question: The wood shingles on the walls of our house were put on ten years ago and now are in need of attention. One painter advises restaining, another suggests painting. Which do you recommend?

Answer: After ten years the stain undoubtedly is weathered out of the wood, and the shingles either can be painted or stained. The choice of the finish is up to yourself.

#### Fireplace Plans

Question: Where can I get plans for building a stone fireplace for a frame cottage?

Answer: I do not know of any publication for this. But you can get ideas by looking over back issues of Better Homes and Gardens, American Home, and similar publications, which have many illustrations of fireplaces. You can see back issues at your public library.

#### Oil in Fine Passages

Question: I have heard that spraying the fine passages of a boiler with oil will prevent rusting during the summer months. But won't this oil cause an explosion when the heat is turned on in the fall?

Answer: Not unless the fine passages are soaked too heavily with oil. Running a low fire for a half hour or so will evaporate the surplus oil.

#### Remodeling

Question: Where can I get leaflets on the remodeling of old houses?

Answer: Send five cents to the Superintendent of Documents, Washington, D. C., and ask for Farmers' Bulletin No. 1785, which has the title "Modernizing Farmhouses." You can also get information from your local office of the Federal Housing administration.

#### Preparing to Paint

Question: I wish to paint our window frames on the outside, and am rather pressed for time. The frames are quite dirty. What is the quickest way of cleaning them so that I can paint them immediately after?

Answer: It might be enough just to brush the dust off. If not, you could use a wire brush and wipe with turpentine.

#### Cracked Boiler

Question: Can a crack in a cast-iron boiler be welded satisfactorily?

Answer: Yes, it can be. You can get a mechanic with a portable welding outfit to come and do the job. Inquire of a heating contractor, a steamfitter or a plumber.

#### Protecting Tools

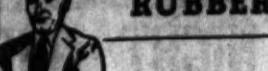
Question: How can I keep my tools from rusting? I keep them in both a metal and wooden toolchest in a damp basement.

Answer: After using, rub them all over with vaseline. Before using again, wipe well.

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## Washington Digest

### Philosophy of Governments Set Forth in New Fantasy

Antoine de Saint-Exupéry's Delightful Fairy Story, "The Little Prince," Holds More Than Artistry for Adult and Child Alike.

By BAUKHAGE  
News Analyst and Commentator.

WNU Service, Union Trust Building Washington, D. C.

On a June day, when a gentle breeze brought the scent of new-mown grass in through the White House windows, President Roosevelt sat at his desk and read slowly to a group of correspondents from a typewritten sheet. It wasn't a formal document but it was an historic one—its purpose was to remind the Italian people that the military campaign against them which had just scored another Allied victory, Pantelleria, was the result of the misconduct of their rulers.

The message has been variously interpreted since, but to me, it contained one significant point—the remainder of the coming birth of a new nation; the new Italy which will emerge when the chains of arrogance and brute aggression which bind her are broken. There has been much talk about post-war policing of the re-made world; little thought of the philosophy which will underlie the forms which the reborn governments must follow. To me, such a philosophy is set forth in a work of pure fantasy. A hopeful note for nations and men is sounded in this delightful fairy tale by an author who found spiritual rebirth in the tragedy of the fall of his own nation.

I refer to Antoine de Saint-Exupéry and his latest work, "The Little Prince."

Those who have read his "Night Flight," "Wind, Sand and Stars" and "Flight to Arras" are not surprised that he could create a fairy tale as delicate as this. Reviewers have disagreed as to whether it is for children or for adults. I believe it is for both, like "Alice in Wonderland." But the adult will find in "The Little Prince" something more than artistry and the children will sense that, too, I think.

Saint-Exupéry is a brilliant aviator who built up night flying for the French airlines in South America. He fought against the Germans—"Flight to Arras" is the remarkable book which tells of that experience. He is now back with the French in Africa, scene of the opening of "The Little Prince."

#### The Prince's Story

"Six years ago," the author says, "I made a forced landing in the Sahara alone, a thousand miles from help, and faced the necessity of repairing my motor by myself within the number of days my drinking water would last. The first morning, I was awakened by a determined but gentle voice which said: 'If you please, draw me a sheep.'"

So Exupéry learned the story of how the Little Prince had found out what is really important in life.

The Little Prince is at once a delicate wisp of fancy, something so sheer that at moments he seems to float like a piece of thistledown before your imagination—again, he has all the reality of truth itself, he is eternal childhood, all that is gentle, and confiding and lovable, with the faint shadow of sorrow on his winsome face, he is the tug at your heartstrings that comes when youth looks at you in wide-eyed confidence, reaches up to take your hand—the same reminiscent tug when you look back and see the surprised and longing sorrow in the eyes of your own lost youth.

The Little Prince lived far away, it seems, on a tiny planet with three volcanoes so small that he cooked his breakfast on one of them. A flower came to his planet and the Little Prince loved her and cared for her but he couldn't understand her and so he left to try to find out why. He finally reached the earth, and here the fox taught him.

The Little Prince had never seen a fox—"Come and play with me," he said, "I am so unhappy." "I cannot play with you," the fox said, "I am not tamed." The Little Prince did not understand. He told the fox that he was looking for friends and asked him what tame meant.

#### Philosophy of a Fox

"It is an act too often neglected," said the fox, "it means to establish ties . . . to me, you are still nothing but a little boy who is just like a hundred other little boys. And I have no need of you. To you, I am nothing more than a fox like a

#### BRIEFS . . . by Baukage

Soldiers make an average of eight moves by railroad between induction and embarkation for service overseas.

Radio France, General Henri Giraud's station at Algiers, has reported that because "young German students are getting stirred up," a Gestapo agent has been stationed in "every" German university.



## Who's News This Week

By Delos Wheeler Lovelace

Consolidated Features—WNU Release.

**NEW YORK.** — John Jeremiah Pelly, president of the Association of American Railroads, takes a rightful pride in his contribution to wartime

**This Man Fulfilled** **America.** **Boycott Promise** **What his** **Made to Mother** **trains have** **done in** **hauling war supplies and moving** **troops on top of their regular traffic** **makes every railroad man from** **president to brakeman hold his head** **high. This is the second war Pelly** **has had to contend with. Twenty-five** **years back he was keeping** **soldiers and munitions rolling suc-** **cessfully over the Illinois Central,** **for which he was then superintendent** **of the Southern division.**

Leaving the University of Illinois early because his family needed an extra bread winner, he started out teaching school in Anna, Ill., where he was born 65 years ago.

When the Illinois Central gave him his first job as a clerk at Anna, he promised his mother he'd give her a ride some day in his special car. He kept his word. Before that, however, he had been a section hand. The fine physique he'd gained hoeing onions on his father's farm stood him in good stead there. Soon he was foreman of the gang and in 1904 his road made him a division supervisor. Later he worked all over the system, rising with each move. When he left the Illinois Central in 1926 to head the Central of Georgia Railway, he had become vice-president in charge of operations.

In 1929 he moved to New York as top man of the New Haven. Five years later even the travel-worn commuters mourned when he left for his present job.

**ASKED** once what his hobby was, James Vincent Forrestal replied "obscenity." That's something he gets little chance to enjoy these days in his

**Has Obscurity for Hobby—Never Able To Meet Up With It** **secretary of the navy.** In fact, ever since he took over that job in August, 1940, just two months after Congress created it, and became the driving force behind the production of ships, planes and guns, he has been very much in the foreground. Blunt in speech, quick in his grasp of new and intricate problems, steady under pressure, this civilian from Wall Street fits off well with the Annapolis-trained career officers.

Forrestal is a product of the Hudson valley. He was born in Beacon, N. Y., 51 years ago. After graduating from high school there, he tried his hand at newspaper reporting before entering college. He started at Dartmouth, but finished at Princeton. Despite the fact that he had to work his way through, he found time to edit the Daily Princetonian.

The last war, in which he was a naval aviator, interrupted his financial career for a couple of years, but soon after the Armistice he was back at it. The twenties were still young when he became Clarence Dillon's right-hand man. In June, 1940, when President Roosevelt called him to Washington as an executive assistant, he left the presidency of Dillon Read & Co. to accept.

**BIG GEN. PATRICK JAY HURLEY'S** tasks in the present war have been as minister to New Zealand and as President Roosevelt's special representative in the Middle East. They

kept him clear of excitement and danger, though. As a result his country has just awarded him the Distinguished Flying Cross. He has made extremely hazardous flights to the South Pacific, the Orient, the Middle East and Russia. On these he displayed "conspicuous courage and initiative," his citation read.

Early in the war he was kick-ing that he had missed all the shooting. Then while he was in Port Darwin, the Japs cut loose with an air raid, and he was slightly wounded. He had had two other close calls. Last December while he was touring the Russian front a land mine left by the Nazis just missed blowing up his ear. In April, when on his present mission, his plane developed engine trouble over the South Atlantic and the pilot barely got it back to Brazil.

General Hurley won a Distinguished Service Medal with American Expeditionary Forces in France in World War I when he fought in the Aisne-Marne, Argonne, and St. Mihiel sectors. In this conflict his organization of blockade running into the Philippines and his observations in Russia got him an Oak Leaf Cluster.

The Spanish-American war was the only scrap of his lifetime he missed. He tried to join Theodore Roosevelt's Rough Riders, but they ruled him too young. He was born down in the Choctaw country of what was then Indian Territory.

## WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

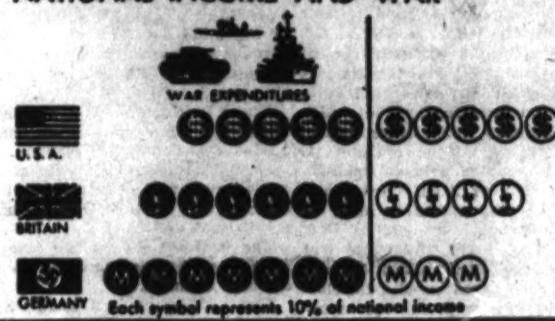
### Allies' Italo-Balkan Moves Factor In Baffling Axis on Invasion Plans; U. S. Moves to Solve Corn Shortage; Russ War Stepped Up on Orel Sector

(EDITOR'S NOTE: When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of Western Newspaper Union's news analysts and not necessarily of this newspaper.)

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## TELEFACT

### NATIONAL INCOME AND WAR



### MEDITERRANEAN:

#### Balkan Powder Keg

The summary closing and opening of the Turk-Syrian frontier within a 48-hour span by the Allied command had presaged new and important military moves, as the Mediterranean area from Italy to the Balkans had tensed for oncoming action.

Increasing evidence that the Axis' much-vaunted Balkans bastion might be a powder keg instead came in the form of reports from Ankara that Rumania had sounded out the Allies on armistice terms. From Ankara, too, came steadily mounting proof of Turkey's closer friendship with the United Nations. The appointment of Brig. Gen. Richard G. Tindell as American military attaché in Ankara and the dispatch of a contingent of Turkish dervishes to America for special training were significant steps in this direction.

Reports from Axis sources had reflected increasing official bafflement over the Allies' next moves. After telling its listeners of "many landing craft concentrating from African coasts toward Pantelleria and the massing of a million troops for an Italian invasion," the Rome radio had broadcast a report that "large British forces were concentrating along the southern frontier of Turkey."

Observers for months had known that large numbers of Allied troops had been training in Syria. Lying in the eastern corner of the Mediterranean, Syria offered an effective base for operations against Crete, the Italian-held Dodecanese Islands, Greece proper or other Axis points in the Balkans.

**BUREAUCRATS:** **Congress Compliments**

The much-criticized home front government bureaus were given a friendly pat on the back and a virtual clean bill of health when the house appropriations committee approved appropriations of \$2,933,441,504 for 18 civilian war agencies, including the Office of Price Administration and the Office of War Information.

In making public its highly complimentary report on the work of these agencies, the committee admitted that mistakes had been made and will be made, but denounced those who criticize "without knowledge of the tremendous burdens thrown on agency heads and of the great strides made in putting the United States on a war footing."

"The type of criticism that serves only to create public distrust in the agencies is not helpful to the war effort," the committee's report said.

### OIL PACT:

#### Navy Cancels Deal

The tempest over the navy department's contract with the Standard Oil Company of California for operation of the Elk Hills naval oil reserve subsided when Secretary Frank Knox announced cancellation of the agreement.

The decision to cancel followed a legal ruling by the department of justice that the proposed arrangement exceeded the authority granted by law, a navy announcement said. Norman H. Little, assistant attorney general, testifying before the house public lands committee, said that a department report sent to the White House had concluded that the navy's agreement with the oil company was "illegal and invalid."

Colonel Knox declared that his own investigation of the agreement established that "no improprieties had been employed by either party to the negotiations."

### HIGHLIGHTS . . . in the week's news

**SHIRTS:** New York laundries indicated that the dirty shirt may become fashionable there when they announced they would not accept more than 5 shirts per family a week.

**BATTLE OF PANTELLERIA:** The conquest of Pantelleria cost the United Nations only 40 airmen, Maj. Gen. George E. Stratemeyer, chief of the U. S. air staff, reported.

### CORN:

#### '42 Loans Called

First step in a program to solve the increasingly serious corn supply situation came when the government formally called loans on 47,000,000 bushels of 1942 crop corn effective July 15. The government had previously used deliveries of grain through liquidation of 1938-41 loans to restore the operations of two closed-down processing plants.

The com-loan move was described as "only an immediate palliative, not the final answer to the problem," and it was stated that efforts to find a solution would continue.

The government's action came as the War Food administration and Commodity Credit corporation received a request from the Corn Industries Research foundation for either complete lifting of federal price ceilings on grain or the imposition of ceilings on hogs. Meanwhile J. B. Huston, director of the Commodity Credit corporation, said that 25 million bushels of privately owned corn in grain elevators would be seized for plants manufacturing by-products for war uses, unless "crops can be moved off farms."

**RUSSIA:** **Orel to Forefront**

A stepping-up of land activities was reported on the Russian front, with especially heavy fighting reported in the Orel sector. Here, Russian troops defending a strategic newly won bridgehead were reported to have beaten off eight German counter-attacks.

It was reported that strong formations of Soviet planes had broken up German formations supporting Nazi tank and infantry units. The Germans, however, were reported bringing up reinforcements in an effort to forestall the possibility of Russian flanking movements against Orel, strategic Nazi-held base midway between Moscow and Kharkov. Heaviest fighting was reported in the vicinity of Misensak, 30 miles northeast of Orel.

Russian air forces continued their efforts to disrupt Nazi supply concentrations by striking at four railroad junctions over which German supplies and reinforcements must move for the Bryansk-Orel-Smolensk area. The junctions were Roslavl, Unecha, Vladislavovka and Novozybkov.

**PACIFIC:** **13-to-1 Record**

With all indications pointing toward major sea and land engagements looming in the Pacific, air activities still held the center of the war stage in this theater.

Most dramatic of all engagements was that fought out over the Solomons when American planes shot down 77 Jap aircraft over Guadalcanal while losing only six of their own. This 13-to-1 score turned in by American combat fliers in the Solomons who have heretofore included army, navy and marine pilots was regarded as the best ever recorded in a single air action anywhere.

But Allied planes were not idle elsewhere. Liberator bombers made their second heaviest raid of the war on Jap-held Kendari, on Celebes island, 250 miles northwest of Darwin, Australia, damaging airfields and destroying planes parked on the ground.

In China, a military spokesman for Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek charged that the Japanese again were employing poison gas in their operations in Suyuan province. Meanwhile Chiang's forces claimed new successes, including the recapture of strategic towns south of the Yangtze river.

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## Local and Social Activities

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### STARVELLI-CHAPUIS

Miss Addie Chapuis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Chapuis, became the bride of Lt. Robert Starwell, of Delaware, Ohio, in a double ring ceremony, solemnized Friday evening, June 25, at 8:00 o'clock, in the home of the bride's parents, with Rev. Glen E. Wiley, pastor of First Baptist Church officiating in the presence of relatives and close friends.

The house was beautifully decorated with smilax vines and large baskets holding gladioli and ferns.

The bride was given in marriage by her brother. She wore a lovely white dress of mousseine de soie and carried a bouquet of white orchids and stephanotis. Her only attendant, Miss Melene Chapuis, chose a lovely black marquise and carried a bouquet of garters.

Lt. Wise served Lt. Starwell as best man. The couple left immediately for a honeymoon trip to Delaware, Ohio. —Contributed.

Mrs. J. S. Kettle has returned from a visit with her son, Pfc. Sydney T. Kettle who is in camp at Seymour Johnson Field near Goldsboro, N. C. Pfc. Kettle is in A. M. school there taking fourteen phases of air plane mechanics work and is now beginning his ninth phase. He is scheduled to return to Jackson, Miss. Air Base after he graduates at Seymour Johnson Field.

George Baker, who is doing a splendid job with the Bell Telephone Laboratory at Morristown, N. J., is at home this week for a vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Barker.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Townes, of Greenwood, visited their mother, Mrs. Molie Townes here early this week.

Miss Adelle Hoffe is in Memphis visiting her sister, Mrs. R. P. Lake.

### ALLISON-WEIR

Mr. and Mrs. Sexton Angrave Weir, of Grenada, Miss., announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Claire, to Lt. Travis M. Allison, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Jones Allison, of Grenada, Miss.

The wedding will be solemnized in early July, the date to be announced later.

Mrs. Weir received her education at Grenada High School and Delta State College.

Lt. Allison attended Miss State College. He was commissioned in the U. S. Army Air Corps Reserve in April, 1942 and is now stationed at the Grenada Army Air Base.

Mrs. Abe Isenberg is in Chicago this week buying merchandise for her firm. She will visit her relatives while there.

Pr. Wm. Winter, who has returned from the induction center at Camp Shelby has reported to the University of Mississippi to complete the months necessary for his graduation. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Winter, of Grenada. All of the other young men in this class, who were inducted from over the state were sent back, as soldiers, to complete their course. These are the 20 year old.

Mr. and Mrs. Norfleet Craig and children visited their parents and grandparents in Como last Sunday.

Mrs. Lawrence J. Phillips and little daughter, Jacqueline, to leave early next week for a month's visit with relatives in Boston. Upon their return to Mississippi, they will reside in Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Quantrell and little daughter, who have resided here for several years have moved away.

## Finish At Grenada Hospital



MISS WILMA MERIWETHER

The above young ladies who have served as student nurse at Grenada Hospital for their allotted period, were

### ANNOUNCEMENT

On July 6, at 10 a. m. at the Edwards Hotel in Jackson, Miss., a group composed of United Daughters of the Confederacy and Sons of Veterans will meet to discuss the disposing of Beauvoir on the Mississippi Coast. The National Shrine, Jeff Davis home is not included in this proposal. Please be in attendance. Mrs. S. A. Morrison plans to attend from Grenada.

### MRS. BRADLEY ENTERTAINS

Mrs. John Bradley entertained delightfully Wednesday morning in honor of her niece, Mrs. Wm. C. Fitch, of Starkville, who is here for a short visit.

Friends were invited to come at eleven o'clock for refreshments of sandwiches and Coca-Cola served buffet style. The hostess received the guests and assisted with the serving. About twenty guests called.

Jean and Paul Clifton Morrison, of Chicago, are visiting their grandmother, Mrs. Fannie Morrison.

Dr. Hal Rogers is at home after spending quite a period of service as medical officer at an Amonia plant near Monroe, La. He has been on a trip to Texas also.

Mr. John Young, of Jackson, was the guest of his sisters at the home of Miss Jane Young last Friday.

Mrs. Louie DeMerville and baby daughter, of Egypt, Miss., visited their mother and grandmother, Mrs. Eloise Wilkins, this week.

Mrs. Burnell Walker left Monday afternoon for a month's stay in British Columbia, Canada with her husband, Sgt. Burnell Walker.

Cpl. Bill Bailey, of Camp Lee, Va. arrived home Wednesday for a visit with his wife and with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Bailey and family.

Lt. Ed McCormick is expected home in a week or so on a furlough from his duties with the Army Air Force in the Southwest Pacific. He is the son of Mrs. Nan McCormick.

Pfc. Paul Peoples, just off 2nd Army maneuvers, is spending a few days with his wife and family.

Lt. Paul Lockett, U. S. N. Flier, spent a few days with his mother and his family this week.

Cpl. Eddie Nored, of Camp Santa Anita, Arcadia, Calif., visited here for several days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Anderson and two children, Miss Annie and Brannon, Jr., will leave Friday to visit their son and brother, Cpl. Allen Anderson, who is in training in Dayton, Ohio.

Mrs. W. H. Baker and her son, Geo. who is at home on vacation accompanied by Mary Elizabeth Horton and Carolyn Whitaker spent Wednesday in Memphis.

Lt. Vasear Dubard, Jr., who has completed his training at Submarine Base at New London, Conn., is at home on leave visiting his parents. The family will have a visit from their daughter, Seaman 2nd Class Eddie Dubard, who is in training near Memphis. Mr. and Mrs. Dubard and Lt. Dubard will go for her in their car Saturday afternoon, and then take her back to her job Sunday afternoon.



MISS MILDRED HOLCOMB

graduated from that institution on

Monday, June 28, 1943.

**VISITS OLD HOME**  
Mr. and Mrs. Boyce Tucker from Camp McCain accompanied by Mrs. Edgar Underwood spent ten days visiting friends and relatives in Quitman and Mineola, Texas. They returned Monday at noon and report counter full of ham, frying-size chickens, peaches and cantalopes.

Mrs. Spivey Kent, with her young daughter, Ann, who received the care of a specialist in Memphis last week, returned home Saturday. Ann is recuperating nicely at her home.

Mrs. T. Mann, who has been with her husband, Lt. Mann at an Air Base in Oklahoma, is at home for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leggett.

Capt. Cleon Troy and wife and their daughter, of Gainesville, Fla., are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lt. C. Troy and sister, Miss Susan, this week.

Mrs. O. H. Longsey and two children returned the past weekend from Gulfport, where they visited relatives at their old home.

Lt. Travis Allison, native Grenadian, is now on duty at Grenada Air Base, having been transferred here from a base in California. His brother, Jones Allison resides here.

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**THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI.**

To: Eva V. Dennis, Route No. One Box 03, Summerville, South Caroli-

na:

You are summoned to appear before the Chancery Court of the County of Grenada, in said state, on the Second Monday of August, A. D. 1943, to defend the suit No. 5700 in said court,

wherein you are a defendant.

This the 16th day of June, A. D.

1943.

J. P. Pressgrove, Clerk.

6-17, 24, 7-1-Tow.

**THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI.**

To: Mary Louise Goss Flowers; Ad- dress unknown:

You are summoned to appear before the Chancery Court of the County of Grenada, in said state, on the Second Monday of August, A. D. 1943, to defend the suit No. 5907, in said court,

of Newt Flowers, Jr., wherein you are a defendant.

This the 15th day of June, A. D.

1943.

J. P. Pressgrove, Clerk.

6-17, 24, 7-1-Tow.

**EXECUTRIX'S NOTICE TO CREDITORS**

Letters Testamentary having been granted and issued to the undersigned as Executrix of the last Will and Testament and of the Estate of S. Roane, deceased, on June 15th, 1943, by the Chancery Court of Grenada County, Mississippi, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said Estate to have same presented and registered with the Clerk of said Court within six months from this date, or they will be forever pre-

cluded.

This the 17th day of June, 1943.

Lynn Y. Roane, Executrix.

6-17, 24, 7-1-Sow.

**NOTICE FOR BIDDERS. SCHOOL TRANSPORTATION**

Notice is hereby given that the

county school board of Grenada County, Mississippi, will meet in the office of the County Superintendent of Education on the 3rd day of July, 1943, at 10:00 a. m. for the purpose of opening and considering all bids on contracts for transportation of pupils entitled to transportation on the route and in the vehicle described in specifications on file in the office of the County Superintendent.

Routes to be bid as follows:

Wolfe-Hardy Route 4  
Cole's Creek Route 1  
Spears to Gore Springs Route 1  
Gore Springs Route 6  
Jefferson Route 1  
Brooks Route 1  
Elliott Route 1

All Bidders must post a \$25.00 Certified Check with the Grenada County School Board with each and every bid as evidence of good faith. All checks will be returned after transportation is let.

The successful bidder will be required to make a corporate performance bond within 60 days after their bid is accepted.

On or before the date mentioned sealed bids are asked for both one-year and a two-year contract. Bidders will secure forms for bids from the County Superintendent.

The right to reject any and all bids is hereby reserved.

Respectfully submitted,  
Mrs. Ethel B. Thomason,  
Deputy Supt. of Education.  
6-17, 24, 7-1-154.

**IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF MISSISSIPPI, WESTERN DIVISION**

**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Petitioner.**

**VS. NUMBER 185 CIVIL.**

**CERTAIN PARCELS OF LAND IN THE COUNTY OF GRENADA, STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, AND LOUISE ALSTON JORDAN, et al., Defendants.**

**THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA TO:**

The following named defendants, non-residents of the State of Mississippi, whose post office addresses are hereinabove set forth, to-wit:

The Federal Land Bank of New Orleans, New Orleans, Louisiana;

The Land Bank Commissioner, New Orleans, Louisiana;

The unknown bondholders of the various road districts, school districts and county wide bonds of Grenada County, Mississippi;

And all other persons, firms and corporations whose names and post office addresses are to particular notice, having or claiming to have any right, title, interest, claim or estate in or to certain lands lying and being in the County of Grenada, State of Mississippi, and more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

**COMMENCING AT THE SW corner of the NW 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of Section 15, Township 21 North, Range 5 East of the Choctaw Meridian; thence N 87 degrees 42' E with the south line of the NW 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of said Section 15 a distance of 180.10 feet for a point of beginning; thence N 87 degrees 42' E 280.0 feet; thence N 87 degrees 42' E 280.0 feet and to the west edge of the right of way of State Highway number US-61; thence S 20 degrees 00' E with the west edge of said right of way 75.00 feet; thence S 61 degrees 51' W 215.00 feet; thence S 22 degrees 20' E 130.50 feet; thence S 87 degrees 42' W 47.0 feet and to the point of beginning, containing 0.914 acres, more or less.**

**PARCEL NO. 4-A**  
**COMMENCING AT THE SW corner of the NW 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of Section 15, Township 21 North, Range 5 East of the Choctaw Meridian; thence N 87 degrees 42' E with the south line of the NW 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of said Section 15 a distance of 180.10 feet for a point of beginning; thence N 87 degrees 42' E 280.0 feet and to the west edge of the right of way of State Highway number US-61; thence S 20 degrees 00' E with the west edge of said right of way 75.00 feet; thence S 61 degrees 51' W 215.00 feet; thence S 22 degrees 20' E 130.50 feet; thence S 87 degrees 42' W 47.0 feet and to the point of beginning, containing 0.917 acres, more or less; together with all improvements thereon.**

**PARCEL NO. 4-B**  
**COMMENCING AT THE SW corner of the NW 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of Section 15, Township 21 North, Range 5 East of the Choctaw Meridian; thence N 87 degrees 42' E with the south line of the NW 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of said Section 15 a distance of 180.10 feet; thence S 20 degrees 00' E with the west edge of said right of way 75.00 feet; thence S 61 degrees 51' W 215.00 feet; thence S 22 degrees 20' E 130.50 feet; thence S 87 degrees 42' W 47.0 feet and to the point of beginning, containing 0.917 acres, more or less; together with all improvements thereon.**

**PARCEL NO. 4-C**  
**COMMENCING AT THE SW corner of the NW 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of Section 15, Township 21 North, Range 5 East of the Choctaw Meridian; thence N 87 degrees 42' E with the south line of the NW 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of said Section 15 a distance of 180.10 feet for a point of beginning; thence N 87 degrees 42' E 280.0 feet and to the north edge of the recorded easement right of way of the Mississippi Power Company; thence S 31 degrees 56' W with the north edge of said right of way 206.00 feet; thence S 17 degrees 07' W 125.04 feet and to the north edge of a farm road; thence S 45 degrees 59' W with the north edge of said farm road 375.02 feet; thence N 21 degrees 21' W 41.76 feet; thence S 88.84 feet; thence S 71 degrees 59' W 307.52 feet and to the east edge of the old Grenada-Duck Hill Road; thence N 40 degrees 00' W with the east edge of said road 1043.08 feet; thence N 41 degrees 30' W 56.00 feet and to the point of beginning, containing 10.827 acres, more or less; together with all improvements thereon.**

**PARCEL NO. 4-D**  
**COMMENCING AT THE SW corner of the NW 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of Section 15, Township 21 North, Range 5 East of the Choctaw Meridian; thence N 87 degrees 42' E with the south line of the NW 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of said Section 15 a distance of 180.10 feet; thence S 20 degrees 00' E with the west edge of said right of way 75.00 feet; thence S 61 degrees 51' W 215.00 feet; thence S 22 degrees 20' E 130.50 feet; thence S 87 degrees 42' W 47.0 feet and to the point of beginning, containing 0.917 acres, more or less.**

**PARCEL NO. 4-E</**

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## A Business Proposition

I imagine it is true that Mike Conner, when he was governor, did shut the door so that he could look after the business of the entire state instead of devoting his time to job-seekers, advice-givers and merely social callers. Included in those who saw a closed door, no doubt, were men who have worked mightily for Mike Conner. It is probably true that some people made a trip to Jackson to see the governor, and did not see him, and went home mad as hell. Perhaps a lot of them got mad because Mike would not give Sonny a job (for which Mike did not deem him suitable) as rider at Parchman. Perhaps Mike, in protection of the rights of original owners, did not sign land patents very promptly. These job-seekers and these land-seekers went home very angry.

Do you get mad and STAY mad at Henry Ray or Ben Adams because a loan based on doubtful security was denied? Would you get mad if you jumped on No. 4, went to Chicago to see Jack Bevens and, upon arrival at his office, found that he could not see you, being engaged in business which had priority over yours? On the contrary, you would finally arrive at the conclusion that Ben Adams and Henry Ray were looking after other peoples' money and that they should handle it safely. You would finally realize that Jack Bevens, as the executive of a vast railroad system, allocated his time very carefully, and often far in advance, and that he could not receive an unannounced and unexpected visitor at the latter's convenience. If you could forgive Meares, Ray, Adams and Bevens for looking after the business, in a systematic manner, that was entrusted to them, then why hold it against Mike Conner that you could not burst right into his office without appointment and without announcement, while Mike was engaged in the business of the WHOLE STATE, the business he was elected for?

Be reasonable.

## In The Meantime The Soldiers Suffer

Following a little airing-out of the delay and inefficiency that have characterized the work of the USO-PSA in Grenada, Mr. Shackelford, of the Jackson PSA office came to the office of this newspaper and admitted that the Grenada job had been badly bungled, but that he HOPED that some legal snarl affecting title to some property for the negro USO would be straightened out shortly, and work would begin.

We sincerely hope so for the soldiers are the individuals who are suffering from the results of this bungling.

Personally, I was in the last war about two years, never saw a USO building and never heard of one, and did not know the difference. But the USO is supposedly a national organization, giving the same, or similar service to the soldier in Grenada and Chicago, Savannah and Seattle.

Without the USO, without recreation buildings, without theatres, without so many furloughs, and with proper clothing and less pay the United States Army of 1917-1918 made the Germans yell "calf rope" in 20 months, while the army of today in about 19 months has made darn little progress toward final victory. It might be that the old system of making a soldier a soldier was better than making him a dancer, a theatregoer, a boxer and a furlough hound.

Be that as it may, the soldiers in the Grenada area are entitled to a break and they should get it from the USO and from the PSA.

## What's Happening To The Postal Law?

I was informed last week by the postmaster at Grenada that "Only ten percent of yearly mailings to subscribers can be mailed to non-subscribers at second-class rates", and that either copies must be mailed either

by affixing one cent in stamp for each two ounces in weight, or getting a permit (costing \$10.00), and using this printed permit on the wrappers—just as the Publishers' Auxiliary has always done and paying 1 cent a copy.

How the hell do Bob Brown and Dennis Murphy get by with sending tens of thousands of copies of the *Summer Sentinel* to non-subscribers, is a question that should be answered.

## Why Increase The Fare?

Within the past ten days the bus fare from the bus station to points in Camp McCain has been increased from 15 cents to 25 cents. Heretofore, a passenger could ride from Grenada to any point, over which the bus passed, for 15 cents; now he can ride to the bus station at the camp for 15 cents, and must pay 10 cents more to ride to the place nearest his destination.

I imagine this increase has the sanction of the Public Service Commission, or of some competent authority, but I can not see why circumstances justify an increase of two-thirds. The increase, so far as the layman and the soldier were concerned, came out of the clear sky. Certainly expenses of operation have not increased by two-thirds; certainly the service has not improved by two-thirds.

Then, why the increase is a question that is being asked by many people.

## The Do-Gooders

This area never had any "race trouble" prior to the Eleanor Era and, fortunately, has had none yet. All the good white folks and all the good negroes hope we will never have any trouble. The negro and the white man have lived together in this area for over a hundred years and there has NEVER been any "race trouble." Let's be fair about this matter. To whom does the negro go when he needs a dime, a dollar or a hundred dollars. To whom does he go when he needs a doctor, or when he needs ball furnished to get him out of jail? Does he go to some do-gooder who has just arrived from Chicago, to some member of his own race, or to some of his good white friends? When he gets into a "jam", to whom does he turn for help?

In the past, it is true that there have been lynchings of negroes known to have committed heinous crimes, but there has not been a lynching in the South this year, and none in Grenada in over 45 years. Lynching has just gone out of style. But, even in the era of lynching, ONLY the guilty were punished. In the North, when trouble breaks out between the whites and the negroes, all negroes look alike—the innocent and the guilty, the young and the old—to the infuriated whites.

I invite the "holier than thou" do-gooders of the North who seek to foment trouble between the races, to look at the Detroit area where a fist fight between a negro and a white man precipitated many deaths and filled the hospitals with wounded people and the jails with arrested persons, only TWO of whom were in any way involved in the trouble. I invite them to view the looted stores, the burned homes and the wrecked cars. I invite these do-gooders to review the whole history of "race trouble" and see if there has EVER been a major outbreak in the South. ALL "race riots" have occurred in the North.

Northern people—who do not understand the negro and do not try to—USE the negro in times like these when labor is scarce, and ABUSE him the rest of the time.

How can a person, fresh from the North, off hand solve a problem that the good white people and the good negroes of the South have sought to solve ever since the negroes were freed?

As for social intercourse between the negro and the white man, there is no more desire on the part of the negro for this than there is on the part of the white person.

The good negro of the South knows who is his friend, and he does not need any advice from the do-gooders who are here today and gone tomorrow.

Analyze, if you will, the cost in lives and blood of ANY "race riot", and you will find that, as a rule, about five times as many negroes are killed and wounded as white people, and that those jailed are of about the same ratio. The negroes ALWAYS lose, if for no other reason than that they are numerically inferior.

The negro has made more progress in his eighty years of freedom than any other emancipated race in the history of the world. He is continuing to make progress. No region in the world offers him more opportunity for PERMANENT advancement than the land of his birth—the Southland.

## Additional Local

Lt. L. T. Hayden, of U. S. Air Corps is visiting his mother, Mrs. E. T. Hayden and family at Elcombi, and his sister, Mrs. J. C. Hathorn and Mr. Hathorn in Grenada this week.

Mrs. E. A. Porter, of Memphis, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Orman Kimbrough and family and sister, Mrs. Will Martin and Mr. Martin, this week.

## I Grenada County Ever Needed To Retain The Services of An Experienced District Attorney, THAT TIME IS NOW

A Serious Address to the People of Grenada County:

The is no necessity to remind you of the war time activities now headquartered in your county. Area and population considered, you have assumed a lion's share of the burdens and responsibilities of war. For this you are to be heartily commended.

At the same time, in the face of such abnormal circumstances, the safety of your lives, persons, and property depends, as always, upon the effective enforcement of the law. Grenada county is composed of a citizenship who are overwhelmingly in favor of law and order.

We are sobered by the recollection that great crime waves have always followed great wars. We experience feeling of even greater concern when we hear of the recent violence in Detroit, Beaumont, and, on smaller scale, in our own beloved State. The law abiding, home-loving, God-fearing people of Grenada County, Mississippi cannot afford to close eyes and thoughts to these important problems. The proper disposition of these perplexing questions will require experience, hard work, and ability. Of this we can be certain, although none can tell what future occasions may arise.

Four years ago, the people elected a young, able, vigorous, hard-working District Attorney. Over two honorable opponents, he carried five of the seven counties in the district. Grenada was one of that five. In the second primary, he carried twelve of the sixteen precincts in Grenada County. He is a candidate for re-election and his record of service to Grenada County eminently justifies the faith, reposed in him. In the first three years of his term, he prosecuted 19 cases before a jury in the Grenada County Circuit Court. There were 16 verdicts of guilty, 2 verdicts of not guilty, and one jury failed to agree on a verdict. There were 40 pleas of guilty, as a result of which the County was not put to any expense for prosecution. There were 26 penitentiary sentences, 19 jail sentences, and 25 fines. THIS IS HIS RECORD IN GRENADA COUNTY ALONE. It shows that this young District Attorney knows when to prosecute and how to prosecute. We believe that record to be a source of pride and satisfaction to the law abiding citizens of Grenada County. (note: error although there may be some in sympathy with the law) who will try to criticize it.

It is not good business, in war time or any other time, to fire a man who is up to the job. It is not good business, in war time or any other time, to fire a man who is up to the job.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Kirk celebrated their thirtieth anniversary the past week-end and had with them their children: Miss Ruth Kirk, teacher, who is at home for vacation and Mr. and Mrs. George Wofford and baby daughter, off Drew. Miss Ruth accompanied her sister and family home for a week's visit.

Mr. A. Y. Sturdivant, of Winter City, was a business visitor in Grenada Wednesday.

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DISTRICT ATTORNEY  
3rd District

has just completed his training and who is in position to deliver the best possible service. To do so is to waste his experience, increase the expense of enforcing the law, and subject the public safety to hazards and pitfalls that would trap an inexperienced district attorney.

It is not good business, in war or any other time, to adopt a policy of refusing an endorsement for an honest, able public official who has worked night and day and who has spared no personal expense or personal inconvenience in his efforts to make a servant in whom the people would be well pleased.

A PRUDENT REGARD FOR THE FUTURE REMINDS US THAT THIS IS NO TIME TO EXPERIMENT WITH THE UNTRIED AND INEXPERIENCED.

We appeal to you to do in 1943 as you did in 1940.

**VOTE FOR J. E. COLEMAN FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY.**

His Ability, His Honesty, and his Desire to Serve have been tested in the fiery furnace of actual service. He has not been found wanting.

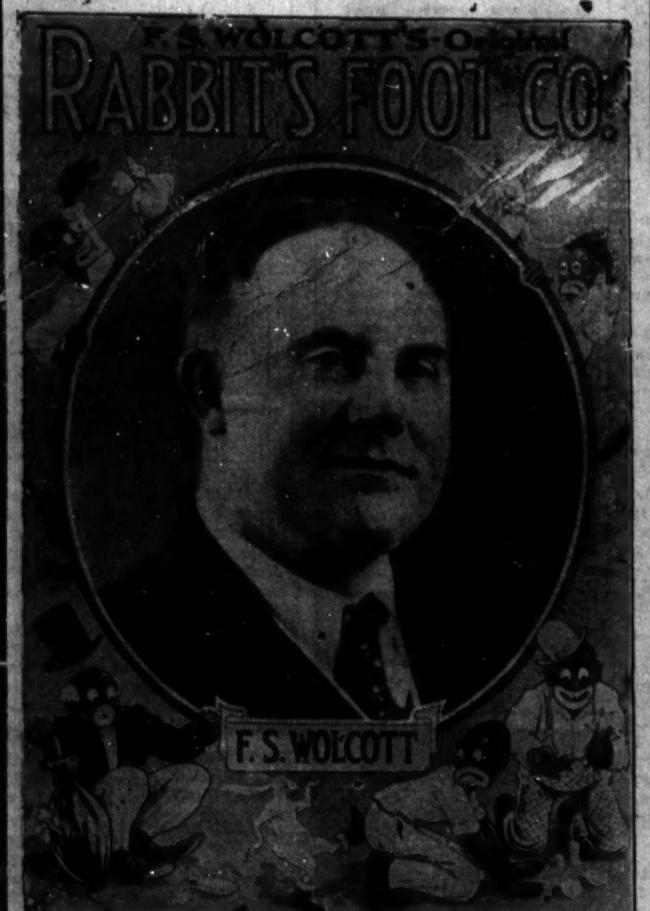
Respectfully submitted,

Coleman Campaign Committee

J. F. Lee, Chairman.

Submitted to and approved by J. F. Lee.

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(Of The Moody Bible Institute of Chicago,  
(Released by Western Newspaper Union.)

**Lesson for July 4**

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**A PEOPLE IN DISTRESS**

**LESSON TEXT**—Exodus 1:6-14; 2:22-25.  
**GOLDEN TEXT**—They cried, and their cry came up unto God by reason of the bondage.—Exodus 2:23.

Today is Independence Day. Yet much of the world is in bondage, and the rest of it is in a struggle to prevent freedom from perishing from the earth.

Our lesson too is about a nation in bondage, but we learn from it that there is a way to be free. Even so we declare the way of personal liberty which is open and free.

The Lord Jesus Christ opened it at Calvary's tree and anyone who is still the bond slave of Satan may make this a great and glorious Independence Day by now declaring his faith in the Deliverer of our souls.

We begin today a series of lessons in the book of Exodus which reveal the high and mighty hand of God working on behalf of His people.

The family of Jacob—or, as the Bible calls them, the children of Israel—prospered in Egypt particularly as long as Joseph and the rulers who remembered him were alive. But they soon learned one of life's bitter lessons, that—

**I. Prosperity Is Not Always a Blessing (1:6-11).**

The Hebrews were a peaceful, law-abiding people. They were God's chosen people, and as He blessed them they prospered, and thus innocently they brought upon themselves the hatred of the suspicious Egyptians.

Prosperity is never an unmixed blessing. We as a nation know that to be true. Not only does it lead to a certain softening of the sinews, but all too often it results in a weakening of the moral fiber, which makes man easy prey to the attack of the enemy of our souls.

Is it not strange, then, that we should—even in times of all-out warfare—be so eager to chase the dollar that we are willing to neglect our children, forget church, live unnatural lives, just that we may make more and more money?

The Egyptians had, humanly speaking, reason to fear this great nation which was growing up in their midst. The new rulers did not know Joseph and had forgotten the spirit in which he had brought his family into the land. The leaders of the Egyptians therefore made plans which appealed to their brilliant leaders as politic and wise. But they reckoned without God, and the burdens and afflictions they placed on the Israelites only served to bring further blessing.

So Israel learned a lesson which our present sorry world can profit by, that—

**II. Persecution Is Not Always a Burden (vv. 12-14).**

The people of Israel did not appreciate it, but the bitterness of their bondage was a blessing in disguise. Note that—

1. It Kept Them Separate as a People. Affliction often serves to keep God's people separated from the world. It is doing so today.

2. It Disciplined Them and Prepared Them for the Hardships of Their Wilderness Journey. We too do well to remember that "whom the Lord loveth he chasteneth," and that if we are properly "exercised" thereby, our sorrows may yield rich fruit in our lives.

3. It Threw Them Back upon God. Many are the saints of God who have found that the fiery trial, the burden so hard to understand, or some affliction of their body, has caused them to bring their burden to the Lord. We have traveled far on the road of faith when we have reached the place where we learn that "man's extremity is God's opportunity."

They had only one place to turn. They were hemmed in on every side, but, as ever, they found that the way up no man can close. They called on their God.

**III. Prayer Always Brings Deliverance (2:23-25).**

Does God really know when His people suffer? Does He really care? Yes, He does. "They cried," and "God heard" and "remembered." That's all we need to know. The groaning of His people had already stirred God's gracious and tender heart. But He waited to hear their cry before He answered. Such is the law of prayer. May we not forget it! Far too often we turn to everyone and everything else, and finally, in desperation, to God. Why not turn to Him first?

Does God hear and answer prayer? Yes, but remember that real prayer is the cry of faith coming from the heart of an obedient child. God may answer other prayers, but He always answers such a prayer.

His answer may not be in accord with our opinion of what it should be, for His wisdom is infinite. He knows better than we what the answer should be. Let us trust the Judge of all the earth to do right (Gen. 18:25).



**AS BENITO SEES IT**  
("The war looks different to Italy than it did three years ago, the Rome commentator said."—News Item.)

How different the picture is! How changed the war today! The more I look at it I ask, "How did it get that way?" The difference is so complete I wonder more and more, As I survey it, can it be The very same old war?

It seemed to me so very good— Each prospect seemed to please That day in nineteen-forty when I said, "I'll take a piece." Then it was bright and shiny-new With all so very pink; I thought I had a guarantee The darned thing wouldn't shrink.

It looked like such a splendid war If snapp'd up then and there! There seemed to be no drawback when I said, "Cut me a share!" I didn't wait to have it wrapped, But took it on the go— And now I'm getting lots of time To sit and wonder why.

It seemed to suit my tastes so well— It looked a perfect fit, But that was three long years ago— Now take a look at IT! It went to pieces at the seams And stood no treatment rough; The seat fell out of it at once, It was such shoddy stuff!

No part as represented was; Behold the awful wreck! I guess I made an error when I failed to double-check; The customer is always right, Ran Salesman Hitler's song . . . But now I've seen an instance when THE CUSTOMER WAS WRONG!

**THE DOUBLE-TALK OF OFFICIALDOM**

We are checking on this: Letter handed to new girl for filing in wrong cabinet.

Letter received and contents noted: We skimmed through the first paragraph.

Thanks for calling the matter to our attention: Where do you get the idea we have time to listen to such squawks?

Your interest is deeply appreciated: But not to the point where we could bother to read your letter carefully.

Follow this through: Take it out to lunch with you and don't bring it back.

Please look into this immediately: Fold this letter 12 ways, cut through with shears and make the parts into spittballs.

Your views are correct in essence: And so are your old man's!

We respect your opinion: What are you trying to say anyhow?

Take this up with the proper department: File and forget.

Miss Griggs, see who handles this matter: Take this letter and snag it on the first spike.

"The company is planning a picture for its horror series which will include all the weird characters of its previous list. It will be called 'Chamber of Horrors' and will revive the monsters of Dracula, Frankenstein, The Mummy, The Mad Ghoul and The Wolf Man."—Hollywood news item.

Anything to help the kiddies get the right slant on life.

**COMPLAINT**

How splendid every morning would be if

There was no bleak necessity to shave;

(I sooner would be jumping off a cliff

Or meditate the comforts of a grave!)

The razor blades, too sharp or, often, dull,

They either cut you, else leave half your hair,

Or if you're lucky to look beautiful

One moment, soon another beard grows there!

What blight is this on humans, that we must

Forever scrape, while ever it comes back!

A thing unown, unwished, yet, though we bust,

We get, and must combat as some wolf-pack!

The earth finds peace in winter—which is sound;

While we grow whiskers all the seasons round!

Alfred Schenck.

There must be a pretty difficult traffic crisis in Washington when the north and southbound administrators meet the ones going east and west.

The army has developed a machine gun that will fit into a woman's handbag. Nothing has made so many husbands so nervous in years.

"Spain Would Humanize Bombings."—Headline.

Like its pals, Mussolini and Hitler, it finds they are pretty brutal when they cease to be one-sided.

R. Roelofs Jr. says that in Washington genius is defined as the infinite capacity to resign at the right time.

## Prisoners of War Are Held in 17 States; Some Work on Farms and Public Projects

### Defeated Men Happy About Hearty Food, Humane Treatment

Prisoners of war, principally from North Africa, are being shipped to the United States and placed in camps, there to remain until peace returns. Some 36,688 men have arrived, of whom 22,110 are Germans, 14,516 Italians and 62 Japanese, up to the first week of June, the war department announces. They are confined in 21 camps, located in 17 states.

These former enemy soldiers are being treated according to the humane requirements of the Geneva convention, of which both Germany and Italy are signatories, as is the United States. Japan has never accepted this agreement.

These men may be employed, within rigid provisions, on farms and public works construction, thereby possibly relieving the labor shortage in some regions. Another advantage of having these prisoners here, is that their presence here keeps their friends and relatives in the homelands anxious about their welfare. This anxiety may help to insure honorable treatment of American prisoners in Axis camps.

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These men are housed in these 11 camps. These are: Camp Breckinridge, Ky.; Camp Chaffee, Ark.; Crossville, Tenn.; Camp Gruber, Okla.; Hereford, Texas; Huntsville, Texas; Roswell, N. M.; Stringtown, Okla.; Angel Island, Calif.; Camp Blanding, Fla.; and Fort Meade, Md. There are some Italians at Crossville, Angel Island, Camp Blanding, and Fort Meade are temporary establishments.

There are 10 camps for Italians. These are: Camp Atterbury, Ind.; Camp Carson, Colo.; Camp Clark, Mo.; Weingarten, Mo.; Crossville, Tenn. (separate from Germans); Florence, Ariz.; Fort Leonard Wood, Mo.; Ogden, Utah; Camp Phillips, Kan.; and Camp Wheeler, Ga. All these are permanent. The 62 Japanese are confined at Camp McCoy, Wis. (See map.)

**Room for 55,000 in Camps.**

The present capacity of these camps is stated as approximately 55,000. Present camps will be expanded, and new ones established as needed, the war department says. Most prison camps are located within army camps.

The commanding officer of the army installation is also the commanding officer of the prison establishment. Where the prison camp is not within an army installation, the commanding officer of the prison camp is designated by the commanding general of the service command area.

The standard stockade at each of the prison camps is an enclosure within a double barbed wire fence, with guard towers covering a narrow alley between fences. This stockade is divided into three compounds, containing hut shelters, mess halls, toilet facilities and other installations to provide for 1,000 men. Within their respective compounds, the prisoners may circulate freely, but guarded gates restrict passage



German and Italian soldiers, herded into huge barbed-wire enclosures after surrender in Tunisia, lean on fence, weary and broken in spirit. Some appear to be crying. But the two grinning fellows (right) plainly show their joy that it's all over, as they anticipate transfer to Canada or the United States.

from one enclosure to another. Guards and administrative personnel are housed outside the stockade in nearby barracks and offices.

**Will Work as Harvest Hands.**

The office of the provost marshal general has found that many of the prisoners were tradesmen, including carpenters, stone masons, house painters, but the use to which their skills may be put is restricted.

Many others were farmers. Their use in farming will be confined to those operations which require a dozen or more men at one time, such as cotton picking and harvesting.

Prisoners must be under guard at all times. Being soldiers, they cannot be placed in the custody of a civilian, and it is impracticable to send a guard out with small groups.

Other occupations which will employ large numbers of prisoners are road building, irrigation developments, dam construction and projects of a similar nature.

All of the enlisted prisoners, whether working or not, receive an allowance of 10 cents a day for the purchase of toilet goods or other articles from the stockade canteen. Their pay when working, 80 cents a day, is deposited in a credit account. The prisoner may withdraw, in the form of canteen coupons, one-half of each month's credit up to a maximum of \$10 per month.

When working for a state or private contractor, the rate of pay is decided upon in advance between the employer and the camp commander. The rate, however, may not be less than that of 80 cents a day paid when the work is done for the federal government.

The administration of each prison camp follows a well-established pattern. A typical prison camp, for example, housing 3,000 prisoners, requires the services of 500 officers and enlisted men of the United States army. This detachment is made up of three military police escort companies, 21 additional officers, and three attached officers.

These companies usually are rotated, one being on actual guard, manning towers and gates, while another is in alert and another is engaged in tactical and other training exercises or in supervising and guarding work details.

The prisoners are organized into companies of 250 men each, with each company under an officer of the army of the United States. In turn, battalions are formed within the camp, all under the camp commander.

Although the company commander is assisted in administering his company by enlisted members of the army of the United States, including a first sergeant, a mess and supply sergeant, a clerk, an interpreter and cook, the prisoners themselves are permitted to organize and administer their own affairs as much as possible. From their own ranks they may choose leaders to serve as their spokesmen in making requests or complaints to the company or camp commander. Cooks, barbers, tailors, cobblers and other essential personnel also are chosen from among the prisoners.

**Sports and Reading Rooms.**

Facilities for recreation are provided at all of the camps. Equipment supplied by the war department is supplemented in many cases by gifts from private organizations.

### Rich Heirloom Piece Done in Jiffy Crochet



**UXURY** on a wartime budget—in a beautiful jiffy filet crochet cloth or scarf. Though it's so easy to do, yet it adds richness to table or buffet. Make jiffy-crochet articles in two strands of string—or smaller pieces in finer cotton.

Pattern 7468 contains instructions and a chart for cloth and scarf. Illustrations of stitching materials needed.

Due to an unusually large demand and current war conditions, slightly more time is required in filling orders for a few of the most popular pattern numbers.

Send your order to:

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**Additional Locals****TUESDAY BRIDGE CLUB**

Mrs. Hubert Calhoon entertained at bridge at her home Tuesday when two tables of club members assembled at three-thirty for games. There were two non-member guests, Mrs. Nan McCormick and Mrs. L. E. Noble present and the following club members, Madam A. M. Carothers, L. J. Doak, E. R. Pleasant, F. T. Gerard and J. E. Martin.

A delightful salad and iced Coca-Cola were served the guests.

Mrs. David Horn, Jr., who has, since her husband left for the Army, lived with her parents in Water Valley, is now visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Horn for several weeks.

Sgt. and Mrs. Max Behm have returned home from a visit with relatives in Chicago.

Mrs. Wm. C. Fitch and little daughter, Mordison, of Starkville, are the guests this week of their aunt, Mrs. John Bradley and family. Mrs. Fitch is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Williams, of Sarasota, Fla. Mrs. Williams is the former Hattie Moody, of Grenada.

**The Stork Flew By And Left...**

A little daughter, Martha Jean, for Pvt. and Mrs. Wm. R. Kendall, of Holcomb, June 24, 1948, at Grenada Hospital.

A little son, Philip Grover, Jr., for Mr. and Mrs. P. G. Poovey, of Duran, June 28, 1948 at Grenada Hospital. Mrs. Poovey is the former Catherine Ross.

A little son, Joseph Clifton, Jr., on June 28, 1948 for Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Montieth, of Water Valley, at Grenada Hospital.

A little daughter, not named for Pvt. and Mrs. J. G. Campbell, Grenada Star Rt. 1, June 29, 1948 at Grenada Hospital.

A lit'l son, Stewart Arthur, for Lt. and Mrs. Thomas Baker Roper, Line Street, Grenada, June 29, 1948, at Grenada Hospital.

A little son, Wilton Joe Low, for Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Joe Low of Grenada in Grenada on June 29, 1948.

**HOSPITAL**

Patients at Grenada Hospital, Mrs. Irene H. Laster, Greenwood; Mrs. Joe S. Campbell and daughter, Grenada; Mrs. J. T. Ray, Grenada; Miss Mary Charlotte Hammons, Holcomb; J. L. Goss, Tin Plant; Ray B. Stephens, Bryant; Henry C. Brown, Crowder; Mrs. Mrs. Marty McKinzie, State Springs; Mrs. Tom Hodge, Calhoun City; W. E. McNeil, Grenada; Mrs. Phil Poovey and infant son, Duran; Mrs. Thomas Roper and infant son, Grenada; Mrs. J. C. Monteith, and son, Water Valley; Mrs. Jimmie Joe and baby son, Grenada; Martha E. Kendall, Holcomb; Mrs. Lee

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**FOR SALE**: 1941 Chevrolet Master DeLuxe Sedan, 5 good tires. Call 747. R. W. Hitt, State Springs, Miss.

**FOR SALE**: One small cook stove. Burns wood. \$20.00. Mrs. J. B. Stewart at Mrs. Hortense Matthews, Holcomb, Miss. 7-1-1.

**FOR SALE**: Good Jersey milk cow. Fresh. Mrs. H. T. Rogers, 7-1-1.

**FOR SALE**: Good big mule, \$100. See Mrs. Semmes at 2nd Class Drug Store, Phone 22 7-1-1.

**YOU ARE INVITED TO HEAR**

**MIKE CONNER**

Candidate For Governor

**S P E A K**

To The People of  
Grenada County

In Grenada

**TUESDAY**

at 8:45 P. M. War Time

**JULY 6TH**

Court House

\*Hear MIKE CONNER discuss the vital issues of today and of the days after the war.

Be SURE with MIKE in the 4 uncertain years ahead!

**MRS. J. W. BOWEN DEAD**

Mrs. J. W. Bowen of Duck Hill died Tuesday of this week and was buried near her old home at Providence Wednesday.

Efforts to contact her daughter, Mrs. G. W. Lambert of Grenada, having failed, we are unable to give details this week.

Brother Vandeburg, candidate for the State Senate, of Water Valley, was mixing and mingling in our midst this week.

Mrs. Paul Peoples renewed right on the dot. She did not have to be dumped, word or noticed. She saw a "7-45" on her paper and she knew what that meant.

**TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:**

All of my land in Beat Five in Grenada County near Oxberry has been posted against hunting, fishing or otherwise trespassing in any form. If you do not want to get in trouble stay off.

MRS. MAGGIE S. WINTER.

6-24, 7-1, 8-70W

Jackson, Mississippi, June 22, 1948

Mr. D. A. Williams, President,  
And Other Members of the Board of Supervisors,  
Grenada County, Grenada, Mississippi  
Gentlemen:

Pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 84, Code of 1930, as amended, we have made an audit of the financial affairs of your county for the fiscal year ended September 30, 1942, and we herewith submit a report of the results of our findings.

The scope of this audit embraced an examination of all claims, allowances and other documents supporting expenditures of public funds authorized by your Board, together with an adequate investigation of the legal propriety of such expenditures; the verification of collections of revenue by the tax collector and other officials and a reconciliation of unexpended balances in the various funds maintained at the close of this period.

This report is composed of the following exhibits:

EXHIBIT "A"—Financial Statement and Supporting Schedules 1-11

EXHIBIT "B"—Details of Receipts and Expenditures 15-24

EXHIBIT "C"—Statement of Tax Collections and Settlement by the Tax Collector 25-28

EXHIBIT "D"—Schedule of Officials' Bonds 29

Following is a condensed summary of the Financial Statement, or Balance Sheet, presented in Exhibit "A", Page 1 of this report:

**ASSETS**

Current \$ 103,343.02

Trust or Restricted 45,424.04

Fixed 1,228,634.54

Total Assets \$1,378,222.90

**LIABILITIES**

Term Notes Payable \$ 25,168.25

Bonded Debt 350,250.00

Surplus 905,403.95

Total Liabilities and Surplus \$1,378,222.90

Details of Balance Sheet items are to be found in the following supporting schedules of Exhibit "A":

Schedule 1. Reconciliation and Classification of Fund Balances Page 2

Schedule 2. 16th Section Notes Receivable 0

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**COMMENTS RESPECTING BALANCE SHEET ITEMS**

It is to be observed that the aggregate of your cash, as shown in the Balance Sheet, is further detailed in Schedule 1, and is classified as follows:

Unencumbered Funds \$ 45,000.19

Encumbered Funds 57,758.00

Trust Funds 575.83

Total \$106,343.02

**RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES**

Following is a condensed consolidation of receipts and expenditures for the period presented in Exhibit "B", Page 15 of this report:

**RECEIPTS**

From All County Sources Amount Percent

Current Advalorem \$145,180.44 40.31%

Prior Year Advalorem 1,232.75 .42

Land Redemption 398.18 .13

Poll Tax 4,216.00 1.43

Auto Privilege 18,300.70 6.24

Other 18,057.11 4.75

LESS: Commissions and Refunds \$18,331.27 62.26

\$176,454.96 39.92

From State of Mississippi

Pro-Rata Gasoline Tax \$ 50,807.48 17.29

Pro-Rata Bus and Truck Privilege 8,921.51 3.08

Support of Schools 29,552.27 10.04

Reimbursement Homestead Exemption 24,048.40 8.47

Sale of State Lands 754.70 2.7

Severance Tax 2,802.28 .98

\$117,901.84 40.08%

TOTAL RECEIPTS—All Sources \$294,426.70 100.00%

**EXPENSES**

Office and Administrative \$ 25,462.56 8.63

Judicial and Law Enforcement 11,505.76 3.91

Health and Sanitation 8,020.61 2.76

Charity and Welfare Work 7,637.42 2.60

Farm and Home Demonstration 3,400.84 1.18

Maintenance Building and Grounds 8,392.40 2.85

Sundry 248.37 .08

Maintenance of Roads and Bridges 70,274.30 23.87

Educational 77,711.60 26.30

Interest and Handling Charges 19,747.30 6.71

TOTAL EXPENDITURES \$227,515.87 77.27

EXCESS REVENUE OVER EXPENSE 66,910.83 22.73

\$204,426.70 100.00%

**AUDIT OF TAX COLLECTOR**

The results of our examination of the tax collector's accounts are presented in Exhibit "C", Page 25 of this report. The collections of advalorem, poll and privilege taxes and settlements, with the proper treasuries, therefore were subjected to a satisfactory verification.

**LAND REDEMPTION REVENUE**

Revenues arising from the redemption of lands previously forfeited to the State for unpaid taxes were verified by an audit of the records kept by the Chancery Clerk. We are of the opinion that such collections of tax revenues have been properly accounted for.

**OTHER DEPARTMENTS**

Other departments and accounts of your county government were subjected to such inspection as to enable us to verify the legal propriety and the proper authorization of expenditures, and whether or not proper accounting had been made for any funds collected by the officials thereof.

**CONCLUSION**

We wish to express our appreciation to the county officials and employees for the many courtesies and cooperation extended our representative during the audit. If we can be of any further service at any time, please call on us.

Respectfully submitted,

STATE AUDITING DEPARTMENT,

J. M. CAUSEY, Chief Inspector

By MILTON M. BATSON, C. P. A.

Assistant Chief Inspector.

(Unavoidably omitted last week)

**THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI.**

To: Clarence R. Wheat: Address Unknown.

You are hereby summoned to appear before the Chancery Court of the county of Grenada in said state, on the Third Monday of October, A. D. 1943, to defend the suit No. 5701 in said court of Mrs. Eunice Feltz Wheat, wherefore you are a